

(Form 5450-5 SEC. 3 Attachment)  
**NONCOMMERCIAL SPECIAL STIPULATIONS**

**Contract NO#** \_\_\_\_\_

**I. General**

- A. Drivers license of purchaser. If no D.L., then record the purchaser's SSN. NO#.

**Drivers license NO#** \_\_\_\_\_ **Vehicle License Plate #** \_\_\_\_\_

- B. Tags and contract must be in the possession of purchaser during cutting, loading and transporting of fuelwood. Also, fuelwood load tags shall be displayed at rear of load. (Load tags not needed for adjacent land owners)

**Load Tag NO'S #** \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_

- C. No material cut or removed under this contract shall be sold or bartered.
- D. Only the material designated or marked with paint can be cut and removed within the approved area.
- E. Contracts are valid only through the expiration date, No extensions will be issued, or refunds made.
- F. The Purchaser shall indemnify the United States against any liability for damages to life or property arising from the use of public lands or resources under this contract.

**II. Fire Protection - Accessibility**

- A. Purchaser shall comply with all State, Federal, and local fire restrictions and regulations. This includes permissible or non permissible cutting days. Reference the nearest C.D.F. or U.S.F.S. Office, whichever is nearest to the fuelwood cutting area.
- B. Chain saws will have an operable spark arrester and muffler which complies with state and local fire safety regulations.
- C. Purchaser shall have a State (C.D.F.) approved (A-B-C Type) fire extinguisher in the immediate area during cutting.
- D. Access roads must be kept clear at all times (no vehicles or trailers blocking routes).
- E. No slash or debris will be left in roads, ditches or culvert basins.

**III. Environmental Protection**

- A. Avoid damage to any unmarked trees including young growth saplings.
- B. Avoid significant ground disturbance, such as that caused by:
1. Winching or pulling material with mechanized equipment.
  2. Driving a vehicle, where slopes are too steep, or when ground moisture conditions are too wet to support a vehicle properly (ruts 2" or deeper from tires).

**IV. Slash Disposal**

- A. ☐ Hand pile all limbs, branches, and unused material in small compact piles in an open area away from live trees.
- B. ☐ All limbs, branches, and unused material shall be cut into small (3' or less) sections and scattered through the surrounding area to avoid accumulation.

**V. Liability**

The purchaser agrees to and shall indemnify the United States for any damage to life or property arising out of such activity conducted in cutting and or removal of this product.

The noncommercial special stipulations stated above are made part of this fuelwood contract. These stipulations shall be attached to each contract as Section 3, of Form 5450-5. Any violation of these stipulations will result in immediate termination of this contract, and possible legal citation.